

**JUDGE BUCHWALD**

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

**07 CIV 8199**

American States Utility Services, Inc.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

Petrus Environmental Services, Inc. and  
National O&M, Inc.,

Defendants.

Case No.

SEP 19 2007  
**CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED  
PARTIES PURSUANT TO RULE 7.1  
OF THE FEDERAL RULES OF  
CIVIL PROCEDURE**

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the undersigned counsel of record for Plaintiff American States Utility Services, Inc. (a private non-governmental party) certifies that said party is a wholly-owned subsidiary of American States Water Company, a publicly held company, the shares of which are traded on the New York Stock Exchange. The undersigned counsel further certifies that American States Utility Services, Inc. has no additional publicly held affiliates or subsidiaries.

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